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CHAPTER IV—ADMINISTRATION OF LAND.

(i) Occupied Area and Tenure.

304. The total recorded area of the State was 1,88,84,395 (1,88,71,161) acres. Deducting alienated lands to the extent of 16,17,537 (13,82,774) acres and 83,63,109 (79,69,594) acres consisting of minor inams, forests, uncultivable waste, which were not available for cultivation, there was a net extent of 86,98,484 (95,18,793) acres available for cultivation.

305. The net area cropped during the year was 69,44,622 (64,08,270) acres.

306. The number of ryotwari holdings separately registered in the State was 11,31,337 (12,53,151) with an area of 84,88,350 (84,08,765) acres.

(ii) Land Records, Survey and Settlement.

307. In Government villages, 5,259 (6,484) darkhast and other miscellaneous records were disposed of and measurments were made in 12,402(13,655) survey numbers involving an extent of 47,155 (53,343) acres. Classification was undertaken in respect of 4,474 (5,147) survey numbers comprising an area of 16,594 (22,553) acres in 1,958 (2,226) villages. Bandh Pahani of 3,726(4,936) survey numbers was done in 1,555 (2,077) villages. Two hundred and ninety-one (198) cases of encroachment were detected. Twenty-six thousand ninety-eight (41,285) mutation hissas were measured.

308. Detailed survey was done in 7(15) inam villages. The survey numbers dealt with were 915 (1,059) and the area involved was 2,914 (4,389) acres. Resurvey was conducted in one village comprising 8 survey numbers with an extent of 3 acres and 22 guntas.

309. Original classification work was carried out in 6 (12) inam villages comprising of 957 (1,271) survey numbers with an extent of 3,625 (5,167) acres. Reclassification was done in one village comprising 72 numbers with an extent of 159 acres.

310. Hissa survey work was done in 5 (10) inam villages. The number of hissas measured was 907. In addition, 773 hissas were checked.